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Sir:

This is in reply to the non-final Office Action in this application mailed from the United States Patent and Trademark Office on January 11, 2008. This response is being filed within the first month after the end of the three month shortened statutory period for response. A separate petition and fee for a one month extension of time to May 12, 2008 (May 11 being a Sunday) is filed herewith. No other fee is believed to be due for the filing of this response.

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Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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